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Via Federal Express

Mr. Jeff Derouen **Executive Director Public Service Commission** 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

> BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION. RE: NEBRASKA CONTRACTS CASE, CASE NO. 2014-00134

Dear Mr. Derouen:

We represent Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") in the above-referenced matter. At the close of the hearing on January 13, 2015, the parties agreed that Big Rivers' response to a post-hearing data request would be due January 21, and that a two-week briefing period would then commence, with the briefs due February 4.

The parties have begun exploring whether there is any opportunity for settlement of this case. To allow for that to occur, and to potentially save some expense, Big Rivers, KIUC and the Attorney General have agreed to postpone commencement of the two-week briefing period unless and until Big Rivers notifies the parties that no settlement can be reached. If the Public Service Commission objects to the parties proceeding on this basis, please let us know.

I certify that I have this day served a copy of this letter by mail, postage prepaid, on the persons shown on the attached service list, and by electronic mail.

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